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Inventor(s): Pherson

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Group Art Unit: 2131

Title: System for Controlling Access to Resources in a Storage Area Network

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
() No additional fee
() Other: _____ (fee \$ _____)

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | | | | | | |
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| (1) FOR | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) NUMBER EXTRA | (4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEES |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 20 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | X \$50 | \$ 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 3 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | X \$200 | \$ 0 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$360 | \$ 0 |
| EXTENSION FEE | 1ST MONTH \$120.00 | 2ND MONTH \$450.00 | 3RD MONTH \$1020.00 | 4TH MONTH \$1590.00 | | \$ 0 |
| OTHER FEES | | | | | | \$ |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$ 0 |

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 22, 2004

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

25 This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed
December 22, 2004. Please reconsider the pending claims in view of the
comments entered below.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

No Amendments to the drawings are made herein.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

5 No amendments to the specification are made herein.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

No claims are amended herein.